

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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SM MERGER/ARBITRAGE, L.P. et al., :
Plaintiffs, : 21-CV-8255 (JMF)
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-v- :
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BRISTOL-MYERS SQUIBB COMPANY et al., :
Defendants. :
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EHAB KHALIL, *on behalf of himself and all others* :
similarly situated, : 21-CV-10351 (JMF)
Plaintiff, :
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-v- :
BRISTOL-MYERS SQUIBB COMPANY et al., :
Defendants. :
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JESSE M. FURMAN, United States District Judge:

The Court has accepted *Khalil v. Bristol-Myers Squibb Company et al.*, No. 21-CV-10351, as related to *SM Merger/Arbitrage L.P. et al v. Bristol-Myers Squibb Company et al.*, No. 21-CV-8255.

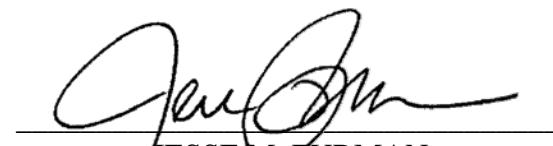
In the interests of judicial economy, counsel for the parties in both cases are directed to confer with one another and, no later than **December 13, 2021**, to submit a joint letter addressing the parties' positions on how the Court should proceed with the new case, including whether the cases should be consolidated, *see Fed. R. Civ. P. 42*; whether there is a need for a conference to discuss coordination of the two cases (or anything else); and anything else the parties think appropriately bears on the Court's management of the cases going forward.

ORDER

Unless and until the Court orders otherwise, the deadlines in 21-CV-8255 (*see* Docket No. 40) remain in effect. It is further ORDERED that the plaintiffs in 21-CV-10351 shall promptly serve a copy of this Order on the defendants and file proof of service on the docket.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 7, 2021
New York, New York



JESSE M. FURMAN
United States District Judge